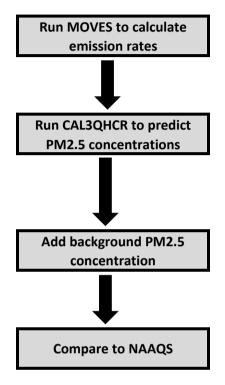
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Local data: fleet mix, fuel characteristics, meteorology

Link data: average speed, grade, facility type

Obtain PM2.5 emission rates for 4 seasons and 4 times of day

Dispersion model to predict pollutant concentrations from roadway sources

Two links: EB and WB

inputs include vehicle volume, roadway length and width, MOVES emission rates,  $\,$ 

and hourly meteorological data

Receptors placed 3 meters from edge of roadway outward

Representative site: Forest Elementary School 11.7 ug/m3

Closest site in proximity to project not necessarily representative

(e.g. Schiller Park is next to airport and interstate)

Maximum Modeled Concentration: 14.2 ug/m3

NAAQS: 15 ug/m3

#### **Test Case vs. Full Analysis**

NAAQS is met when 3-year average is less than 15.0 ug/m3

5 years of met data

Additional roadway segments inlcuded - there will be intersecting links

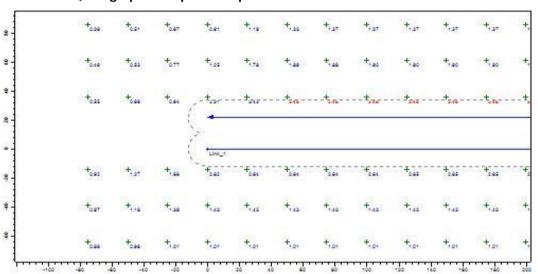
Possibly need to model no build scenario

May need to include other emission sources or re-entrained road dust

Use quarterly averages for background PM2.5

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### **CAL3QHCR** graphical input example:



Emission Factor Model Results					
PM2.5 Emissions in gram/mile					
	Link 1	Link 2			
Jan AM	0.036027	0.041324			
Jan noon	0.027763	0.027762			
Jan PM	0.027955	0.03354			
Jan mdnt	0.027147	0.027147			
Apr AM	0.022192	0.027959			
Apr noon	0.018275	0.018275			
Apr PM	0.018222	0.02413			
Apr mdnt	0.021982	0.021982			
Jul AM	0.0166	0.022566			
Jul noon	0.016286	0.016286			
Jul PM	0.016286	0.022263			
Jul mdnt	0.011672	0.011672			
Oct AM	0.021864	0.027642			
Oct noon	0.017634	0.017634			
Oct PM	0.018013	0.023929			
Oct mdnt	0.015475	0.015475			

CAL3QHCR PM2.5 Concentration Results					
PM2.5 Concentration (μg/m³)					
	Top 3 Receptors				
	rec6	rec9	rec21		
1Q 1990	3.48	3.48	3.48		
2Q 1990	1.87	1.91	1.91		
3Q 1990	1.66	2	2.14		
4Q 1990	1.94	2.21	2.37		
Annual					
Average	2.2375	2.4	2.475		

Concentration at Maximum Receptor	2.475	μg/m³ PM2.5
Background Concentration	11.7	μg/m³ PM2.5
Total Concentration	14.175	μg/m³ PM2.5
NAAQS	15	μg/m³ PM2.5